

# Vectorizing across entire training set.

Iterative approach:

for  $i = 1$  to  $m$ .

$$z^{[1](i)} = w^{[1]} x^{(i)} + b^{[1]}$$

$$a^{[1](i)} = g(z^{[1](i)})$$

$$z^{[2](i)} = w^{[2]} x^{(i)} + b^{[2]}$$

$$a^{[2](i)} = g(z^{[2](i)})$$

$w^{[1]}$ -shape =  $(K, n_x)$

$K$  sets of weights ( $w$ ), where  $w \in \mathbb{R}^{n_x}$ ,  $K$  equals number of neurons at this hidden layer.

Vectorized Algorithm:

$$z^{[1]} = w^{[1]} x + b^{[1]}$$

$$a^{[1]} = g(z^{[1]})$$

$$z^{[2]} = w^{[2]} x + b^{[2]}$$

$$a^{[2]} = g(z^{[2]})$$

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} | & | & | \\ x^{(1)} & x^{(2)} & \dots & x^{(m)} \\ | & | & | \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{[1]} = \begin{bmatrix} | & | & | \\ a^{[1](1)} & a^{[1](2)} & \dots & a^{[1](m)} \\ | & | & | \end{bmatrix}$$

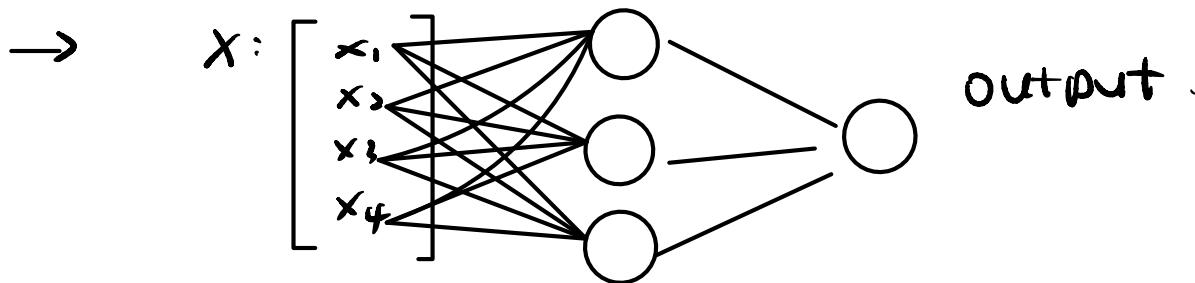
$$z^{[1](1)} = w^{[1]} x^{(1)} + b^{[1]} \quad z^{[1](2)} = w^{[1]} x^{(2)} + b^{[1]} \quad \dots \quad z^{[1](n)} = w^{[1]} x^{(n)} + b^{[1]}$$

$$w^{[1]} = \begin{bmatrix} \parallel & \parallel & \parallel \\ \parallel & \parallel & \parallel \\ \parallel & \parallel & \parallel \end{bmatrix} \quad x^{(1)} : \begin{bmatrix} | \\ | \\ | \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow w^{[1]} x^{(1)} = \begin{bmatrix} | \\ | \\ | \end{bmatrix} \quad w^{[1]} x^{(2)} = \begin{bmatrix} | \\ | \\ | \end{bmatrix} \quad \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow w^{[1]} \begin{bmatrix} | & | & | \\ x^{(1)} & x^{(2)} & x^{(m)} \\ | & | & | \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} | & | & | \\ z^{[1](1)} & z^{[1](2)} & \dots & z^{[1](m)} \\ | & | & | \end{bmatrix} = z^{[1]}$$

My intuition:

Considering a training set containing only 1 data point  $\in \mathbb{R}^4$ , and a neural network with 1 hidden layer, containing three neurons.



Then: what does the weights  $W$  in hidden layer actually do on the input data (data coming from prev layer)

$$W: \begin{bmatrix} w^{(1)} \\ w^{(2)} \\ w^{(3)} \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} | \\ x^{(1)} \\ | \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} | \\ w x^{(1)} \\ | \end{bmatrix}$$

$3 \times 4 \qquad 4 \times 1 \qquad 3 \times 1$

$w$  is actually a transformation matrix that transforms  $x^{(1)}$  from

if instead of having 3 neurons, we have 10, a 4-D vector to a 3-D vector,  
Then weights  $w$  will be in shape:  $10 \times 3$ . and  $w x^{(1)}$  will transform  $x^{(1)}$  from 4-D vector into a 10-D vector which equals the number of neurons in hidden layer.  
(one output per hidden neuron).

This intuition is mainly caused by the fact that each neuron in neural network, generally speaking, always only output one output signal.

Due to this nature of the neural network, mathematically speaking, each layer's weights w is essentially a transformation matrix that transform data coming from prev layer into a  $n$ -dimension vector, where  $n$  equals the amount of neurons at the current layer.

Then: what would happen if  $X$  contains more than one data points?

$$w : \begin{bmatrix} w^{(1)} \\ w^{(2)} \\ w^{(3)} \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} | & | & | \\ x^{(1)} & x^{(2)} & \dots & x^{(m)} \\ | & | & | \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} | & | & | \\ w x^{(1)} & w x^{(2)} & w x^{(3)} \\ | & | & | \end{bmatrix} \quad (n_w, 1) (n_w, 1) (n_w, 1)$$

$(3, n_x)$        $(n_x, m)$

$n_w$  = # of neurons at this layer.  $\Rightarrow Z : (\underline{3}, n_x)$

-  $\cancel{x}$ : Similar transformation effect on each  $x^{(i)}$ .